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FOLLOWING TEL FROM CALCUTTA DATED 9 MAY 73 REPEATED YOU:

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1. CONGEN OFFICER PASSED INFORMATION ON SHIPMENTS AND PACKERS TO INDIAN CUSTOMS 30 APRIL WITH REQUEST THAT THEY ADVISE US IDENTITIES OF VESSELS SOONEST. CUSTOMS ADVISED KA THAT THEY WISHED PROCEED SLOWLY IN EVENT PACKERS ENGAGED IN OTHER SMUGGLING ACTIVITIES. WE EMPHASIZED NEED FOR DATA AND RECEIVED ASSURANCES IT WOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE AS SOON AS IT WAS OBTAINED.

2. WE HAVE SINCE MADE REPEATED CALLS TO OUR CUSTOMS CONTACT ASKING FOR NAME OF REMAINING UNIDENTIFIED VESSELS, BUT HAVE MET WITH EXCUSES THAT INVESTIGATION STILL UNDERWAY OR THAT OFFICER CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION NOT AVAILABLE. WE SHALL CONTINUE TO PRESS CUSTOMS FOR REQUIRED INFORMATION BUT MAY BE FACING DELIBERATE ATTEMPT KEEP US AT ARM'S LENGTH.

3. RE NEED FOR DOCUMENTS TO PROSECUTE CASE (PARA 6 REFTTEL), RECALL THAT CUSTOMS HERE EARLIER ADVISED US REQUEST SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH MEA. ALSO, IN LIGHT ABOVE- NOTED RECENT RELUCTANCE CUSTOMS TO COOPERATE WITH US DOUBT CBI WOULD PROVE MORE FORTHCOMING. BANGKOK MAY WISH CONSIDER ASKING EMBASSY DELHI TO CONSIDER TAKING UP WITH MEA.

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